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Applicant: John Ainsworth
Filed: January 29, 1999
Title: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR DYNAMICALLY GENERATING
A USER PRESENTATION BASED ON DATABASE STORED RULES

Group Art Unit: 2172
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LETTER

Dear Examiner Shah:

We write in regard to the above-identified, pending United States patent application. We understood from a discussion with SPE Kim Vu that the notice restarting the time to respond to the Office Action originally mailed December 17, 2000 would be sent to us. This conversation occurred approximately two weeks ago, and we have not received notice of the date from which the time to respond would run.

I understood from the conversation that we had on May 29, 2003, that you had instructed your staff to restart the date for response to the Office Action to within one day of my conversation with SPE Vu.

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Applicants would be grateful if you would look into the status of the application, and insure that the appropriate notice be sent to me, in order that prosecution of this application may proceed expeditiously.

Very truly yours,

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